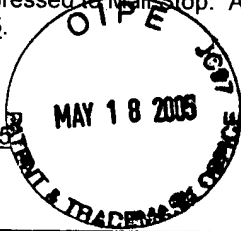


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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Docket Number  
5297/133

In re Application of: SILVER et al

Application Number: 09/592,215

Filed: June 12, 2000

For: DIAPHRAGM PUMP AND PUMP FOR DOUBLE-BREASTPUMPING

Group Art Unit: 3763

Examiner: Mark Han

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action dated December 16, 2004 in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows:

	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>	
<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450	\$225	\$450.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$510	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$795	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.			

☒ A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0930. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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